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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed March 11, 2005 for the above referenced patent application, Applicants elect, with traverse, Species I, drawn to a multilayer

filament wherein the level of wear is distinguishable by color. The claims readable on Species I are as follows: 1-4, 6, 13-18, 20 and 27-28.

In addition, Applicants also respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

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